

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Anderville Farms #1 - 6 exploration drill hole

Description of proposal: Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. proposes to drill from the ground surface to approximately 14,000 feet total depth to test for the potential of natural gas. The drill site will occupy an area approximately 400 feet by 400 feet during drilling. The site is located in Section 6, Township 14 North, Range 25 East, W.M. in Grant County.

Proponent: Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.

US Bank Tower

950-17th Street, Suite 2600 Denver, Colorado 80202

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: The site is located on private land owned by Anderville Farms approximately 7.5 miles east of Mattawa, Washington off State Highway 24.

Lead agency: Department of Natural Resources

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

[] There is no comment period for this DNS.

[X] This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from September 16, 200.4

Comments must be submitted by September 30, 200.4

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There is no agency SEPA appeal. 8/25/98